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The Military Junta of Venezuela is reported to have prepared a decree outlawing the Communist Party in Venezuela but has not as yet published it. The decree was to have been issued on the evening of 8 May 1950 but was held back at the last moment pending further developments. It is planned to be issued at a propitious time.

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